

# Subject Specific Sessions



## Biosciences

### **Introduction to Biosciences**

*This session covers post-16 options, the variety of Biosciences courses at Edge Hill and possible career paths these degrees could lead to. It will also include some information about the department and research at Edge Hill University, including possible research areas that students could get involved in.*

### **Epidemiology Lecture**

*This session will mimic a mini lecture that students may experience at university. There will be insight into disease outbreaks ranging from Cholera in London 1854, Haiti 2010 and Coronavirus 2020. It is designed to give students a taste of studying at undergraduate level and give them an opportunity to ask any questions about Edge Hill University and the courses on offer*

## Business

### **Introduction to Business**

*This presentation is suitable for Year 12 students considering their higher education options. The session covers the difference in our Business degrees, with focus on the skills that are needed for the Business world.*

## Computer Science

### **Introduction to Computer Science**

*This session explores the wide range of computing courses available to study at Edge Hill, looking more closely at entry criteria, facilities available, placements and career prospects.*

## Creative Arts (Media, Film & Performing Arts)

### **Introduction to Media**

*This session covers the variety of career opportunities available to Media students and how to best prepare for the career of their choice. This session includes practical advice for making the most of your degree and preparing for graduation, the session also looks at alumni profiles showing how they transitioned from their undergraduate studies into work or further study.*

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## **Introduction to Performing Arts**

*This session has been designed to help students that are considering studying a degree in the Performing Arts to find the course that suits them best. The session looks at the 4 current courses within the Performing Arts department and explores what makes each course unique, the careers our graduates go on to and information about the interview and audition process*



## **Employability within the Creative Industries**

*This session focuses on the various careers and pathways in Creative Industries you can go onto from a creative based degree. It will also give you top tips to make the most of opportunities and how to broaden your CV and skills.*

# English, Creative Writing & History

## **Introduction to English & Creative Writing**

*This session has been designed to support English and Creative Writing students to select the right degree for them, it will cover module choice, assessment methods and careers information; to support students in their decision making. This session also covers the variety of career opportunities available to students studying English and Creative Writing and how to best prepare for the career of their choice.*

## **Toni Morrison's Beloved**

*Coinciding with Black History Month, in October we launched our new subject specific sessions which aim to celebrate the work of ethnic minorities and shed further light on the history and experiences of Black, Asian and Ethnic Minority individuals. In English we launched our new virtual lecture on Toni Morrison's Beloved. In this virtual workshop we will introduce students to the work of Toni Morrison and teach students how to conduct a university-level close reading whilst looking closely at the theme of the supernatural in Beloved. Each session will conclude with a creative writing competition in which students will have the opportunity to win a book of their choice.*

## **Introduction to History**

*This session has been designed to support History students to select the right degree for them, and will cover module choice, assessment methods and careers information; to support students in their decision making. This session also covers the variety of career opportunities available to students studying History and how to best prepare for the career of their choice.*

# Law, Criminology & Policing

## **Introduction to Law, Criminology and Policing**

*This workshop covers the different Law, Criminology and Policing degrees on offer to students. The session also incorporates the opportunities available whilst studying, for example, mooted competitions, law clinics and a wide range of research seminars. The skills needed to study a degree of Law, Criminology or Policing will also be covered.*

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# Geography & Geology



## **Introduction into Geography and Geology**

*This session covers post-16 options, the variety of Geography and Geology courses at Edge Hill and possible career paths these degrees could lead to. It will also include some information about the department and research at Edge Hill University, including possible research areas that students could get involved in.*

## **Hazards, Mitigations and Risks**

*This session will focus on geohazards around the world. Students will learn how to be resilient, types of risks and natural hazards. We will then focus on volcanic eruptions such as Mount Mazama and Earthquakes for example Christchurch, 2011. Students will also be advised on some extra reading around the topics discussed that may help them in making decisions about studying Geography and Geology at University. This session covers post-16 options, the variety of Geography and Geology courses at Edge Hill and possible career paths these degrees could lead to. It will also include some information about the department and research at Edge Hill University, including possible research areas that students could get involved in.*

# Medicine & Healthcare

## **Applying to Medicine**

*This session considers what makes a successful doctor and what are the benefits of a career in medicine. It then explores the courses on offer relating to this field, entry criteria, placements and teaching styles. Finally, it explains the application process including information on completing your UCAS application, admissions tests and interview advice.*

## **Routes into Healthcare**

*This session explores why you might choose a healthcare related course and discuss the essential skills and attributes a person needs to work in this field. It then examines the different healthcare courses on offer, entry criteria, how you will be taught (placements vs theory work), student support, and the admissions process when applying to a healthcare related course.*

# Psychology

## **Introduction to Psychology**

*This session explores the wide range of psychology courses available to study at Edge Hill, looking more closely at BPS accreditation, entry criteria, facilities available, placements, sandwich years and career prospects.*

# Social Sciences

## **Introduction to Social Sciences**

*This session explores the wide range of social science related courses available to study at Edge Hill, looking more closely at entry criteria, facilities available, placements, study abroad opportunities and career prospects.*

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# Sport and Physical Activity

## **Routes into Sport**

*This session explores the wide range of Sport and Physical Activity courses on offer, looking more closely at entry criteria, facilities available, placements, career prospects, sports scholarships and travelling/studying abroad opportunities.*



# Teaching and Education

## **Routes into Teaching**

*This session explores the different ways to qualify as a teacher through undergraduate degrees and PGCE's. It covers the difference between Early Years, Primary and Secondary teaching, as well as discussing personal statement advice when applying to a teaching course, placement opportunities, and the rewards of becoming a teacher.*